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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
11 Plaintiff,  
12 v.  
13 BRANDON RAY RICHARD,  
14 Defendant.

2:20-CR-291-KJD-DJA

**Motion to Withdraw as Forfeiture  
Attorney**

15 Pursuant to LR IA 11-6(b), the United States moves this Court to allow James A.  
16 Blum to withdraw as the forfeiture attorney of record for the United States of America in  
17 this case. Pursuant to LR IA 11-6(e), this Motion will not delay discovery, the trial, or any  
18 hearing, and good cause is shown since no forfeiture exists in the case.

19 Dated: March 7, 2022.

20 Respectfully submitted,

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22 Acting United States Attorney

23 /s/ James A. Blum  
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25 Assistant United States Attorney

26 IT IS SO ORDERED:

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28 DANIEL J. ALBREGTS  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DATED: March 7, 2022